

AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO THE REGULATION OF INSTALLATIONS OF ELECTRICAL CONDUCTORS AND EQUIPMENT WITHIN OR ON PUBLIC AND PRIVATE BUILDINGS OR OTHER STRUCTURES, INCLUDING MOBILE HOMES, RECREATIONAL VEHICLES, AND FLOATING DWELLING UNITS; AND OTHER PREMISES SUCH AS YARDS, CARNIVAL, PARKING AND OTHER LOTS; CONDUCTORS THAT CONNECT TO THE SUPPLY OF ELECTRICITY; AND OTHER OUTSIDE CONDUCTORS ON THE PREMISES IN THE CITY OF LAS ANIMAS, COLORADO: ADOPTING BY REFERENCE THERETO THE NATIONAL ELECTRICAL CODE, 1981 EDITION, OF THE NATIONAL FIRE PROTECTION ASSOCIATION, REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF LAS ANIMAS, COLORADO, IN CONFLICT OR INCONSISTENT HERewith; AND PROVIDING A PENALTY FOR VIOLATION OF THE PROVISIONS OF SAID ELECTRICAL CODE.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAS ANIMAS, COLORADO:

Section 1. Adoption. Pursuant to Title 31, Article 16, Part 2, Colorado Revised Statutes, 1973, as amended, there is hereby adopted as the Electrical Code of the City of Las Animas, by reference thereto, the National Electrical Code, 1981 Edition, published by the National Fire Protection Association, Batterymarch Park, Quincy, Massachusetts. The subject matter of the adopted codes includes comprehensive provisions and standards regulating the installation of electrical conductors and equipment within or on public and private buildings or other structures including mobile homes, recreational vehicles, and floating dwelling units; and other premises such as yards, carnival, parking, and other lots; and conductors that connect to the supply of electricity; and of other outside conductors on the premises for the purpose of protecting the public health, safety, and general welfare.

Section 2. Amendments and Deletions. None

Section 3. Code Copies. At least three (3) copies of the National Electrical Code, 1981 Edition, certified to be a true copy, is now and has been on file in the office of the City Clerk, and may be inspected by any interested person between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, holidays excepted. The "Electrical Code" as finally adopted shall be available for sale to the public through the office of the City Clerk at a moderate price.

Section 4. Penalties.

(a) It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation to install electrical conductors and equipment within or on public and private buildings or other structures, including mobile homes, recreational vehicles, and floating dwelling units; and other premises such as yards, carnival, parking and other lots; conductors that connect to the supply of electricity and of other outside conductors on the premises or cause or permit the same to be done in violation of this code.


(b) Any violation of any provision of this Ordinance shall be punishable by a fine not exceeding THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$300.00) or imprisonment for a term not exceeding ninety (90) days or both by fine and imprisonment.

Section 5. Savings Clause. If any part, section, subsection, sentence, clause, or phrase of this Ordinance or of the Electrical Code adopted hereby is for any reason held to be invalid, such decisions shall not affect by validity of the remaining sections of this Ordinance or of said Electrical Code; the City Council hereby declares that it would have passed this Ordinance and adopted said Electrical Code in each part, section, subsection, sentence, clause, or phrase thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more parts, sections, subsections, sentences, clauses or phrases be declared invalid.

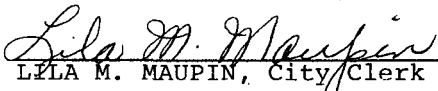
Section 6. Repeal. Any or all Ordinances or parts of Ordinances of the City of Las Animas, in conflict or inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed, provided, however, that the repeal of any Ordinance or parts of Ordinances of the City of Las Animas shall not revive any other section of any Ordinance or Ordinances heretofore repealed or superseded. Ordinance number 377 is hereby specifically repealed in its entirety.

INTRODUCED, PASSED ON FIRST READING AND NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ORDERED PUBLISHED THIS 7th DAY OF JUNE, 1983.

ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LAS ANIMAS, COLORADO, AFTER PUBLIC HEARING AND SIGNED THIS 2nd DAY OF August, 1983.


ALFRED PUTNAM, Mayor

ATTEST:


LELA M. MAUPIN, City Clerk